BEFORE

THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF

SOUTH CAROLINA

DOCKET NO. 2012-268-W - ORDER NO. 2012-568

JULY 31, 2012

IN RE:	Application of Timothy P. Oliver for the)	ORDER APPROVING
	Approval of Sale of Assets of Lake Marion)	SALE OF WATER
	Shores Water System and Wyboo Pointe)	SYSTEMS, NUNC PRO
	Water System to Clarendon County)	TUNC

Pursuant to 26 S.C. Code Ann. Regs. 103-704, this matter comes before the Public Service Commission of South Carolina ("Commission") for expedited review on the Application of Timothy P. Oliver ("Oliver" or the "Applicant") for the Approval of Sale of Assets of Lake Marion Shores Water System and Wyboo Pointe Water System to Clarendon County. The transfer and sale, including all infrastructure and assets, was completed on July 1, 2012, and therefore the Applicant seeks approval of the sale *nunc pro tunc*. The Office of Regulatory Staff does not object, and the Application states that the South Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Control has been notified.

According to the Application, the purchase by Clarendon County is pursuant to the County's master plan to provided countywide water service to its citizens. The Application states that Clarendon County has notified customers of the change in ownership of the two water systems and of the new monthly rate. The new monthly service rate is \$29.50, which is an increase of \$2.05 from its current rate of \$27.45. The

Applicant further states that this monthly amount is consistent with the County's rate for unmetered systems.

We find that the Applicant has met the requirements of 26 S.C. Code Ann. Regs. 103-704. As such, we grant expedited review and approve the transfer and sale *nunc pro tunc*.

This Order shall remain in full force and effect until further order of the Commission.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:

David A. Wright, Chairman

ATTEST:

Randy Mitchell, Vice Chairman

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